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Transmittal No. DDTC 009-09

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Nancy Pelosi,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE TRANSMITTAL NO. DDTC 009-09 CERTIFICATION OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN EXPORT LICENSE PURSUANT TO SECTION 36(c) OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

- (1) <u>Foreign Country or International Organization to Which Export Will Be Made:</u> United Arab Emirates
- (2) <u>Dollar Value of the Proposed Export</u>:
 - (a) Current Notification Value: \$183,029,060
 - (b) Total Value: Initial Notification
- (3) <u>Description of the Transaction:</u>
 - (a) Current license application: The Boeing Company proposes to amend an ongoing Technical Assistance Agreement with the United Arab Emirates Armed Forces General Headquarters, Emirates Advanced Investment, Global Aerospace Logistics, LLC, and Boeing Aerospace Middle East Ltd. (all located in the United Arab Emirates) to export four CH-47F Chinook Helicopters and related defense services and technical data to the United Arab Emirates Armed Forces General Headquarters. The agreement would be valid until June 2018. The value of this agreement prior to this amendment was \$2,500,000.
 - (b) Total Scope: Identified Above
 - (c) A discussion on regional security balance will be forwarded under a separate cover.
- (4) Offset Arrangement: None
- (5) Authorized Sales Territory: United Arab Emirates
- (6) <u>Date Certification Delivered to Congress</u>:

NOTE: This report, although unclassified, is derived from information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant which is subject to the confidentiality requirements of section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act. Disclosure of an applicant's prices and customers could result in competitive injury.

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The Honorable

Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,

President of the Senate.